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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

> Re: Yegua Zone, Reservoirs A, B, C and D Pine Ridge Field

> > Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana

Application is hereby made on behalf of **MAYNE & MERTZ, INC.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Yegua Zone, Reservoirs A, B, C and D, in Pine Ridge Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana:

- 1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Yegua Zone, Reservoirs A, B, C and D, in Pine Ridge Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, said units to be designated Y RA SUA, Y RB, SUA, Y RC SUA, and Y RD SUA, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
 - 3. To designate Mayne & Mertz, Inc. as operator of the proposed Y RA SUA.
- 4. To designate the Mayne & Mertz, Inc. Goux 24 No. 1 Well as unit well for the proposed Y RA SUA.
- 5. To provide that any future unit, substitute and/or alternate wells drilled to the Yegua Zone, Reservoirs A, B, C and D, in the Pine Ridge Field, within or outside each of the proposed units, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
- 6. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the aforementioned zone and reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the respective reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

7. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Yegua Zone, in the Pine Ridge Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being as the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 14,270 feet and 16,450 feet (electrical log measurements) in the BHP Petroleum – Glover No. 1 Well, located in Section 10, Township 10 South, Range 11 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from W. H. Robbins & Associates, LLC, 302 La Rue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone No. 337/232-5004.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was held on March 29, 2007, in Lafayette, Louisiana, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance. The conference was opened by representatives of the applicant who explained the bases for the units being requested. Questions were asked and answered. No counterplans were presented. Reservoir nomenclature of the proposed units has been modified from that shown in the prior notice to account for the permitting of the Goux 24 No. 1 Well. No change to the boundaries of the units has been made. The revised nomenclature for the four proposed units and the permitted location of the Goux 24 No. 1 Well are shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are a revised plat outlining the applicant's proposals, the conference attendance list, and the list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,

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Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Office of Conservation

cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

